NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following introduced ordinance was read and passed on first reading at the Regular Meeting of the Board of Health of the Township of Readington, Hunterdon County, New Jersey, held on Wednesday, November 18, 2020, and that said ordinance will be taken up for further consideration by the Board of Health of the Township of Readington at the Regular Meeting to be held virtually for all Board Members, Board Professionals, and Members of the Public in order to comply with the Executive Orders signed by the Governor and meet the standards articulated in the Emergency Powers Act, N.J.S.A. 26:13-1, et seq., as promulgated by the emergency regulations codified as N.J.A.C. 5:39-1.1 through -1.7. Members of the Public are invited to view and participate at this meeting live using WEBEX, which allows any interested party to "Raise A Hand" and contribute with voice and video during the public portions of this meeting to be held on Wednesday, December 16, 2020, at 7:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the matter can be reached. At said date and time, all persons who may be interested therein will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning same. Members of the Public who are calling in by phone will also have the opportunity to contribute when called upon to speak. To attend this meeting virtually, the access link and telephone number may be found on the December 16, 2020 agenda, a copy of which shall be available to the public for download on the Township website and shall be posted at the building where the meeting would otherwise be held, including posting of same at any designated and clearly delineated handicap accessible entrance to said building. During the week prior and leading to, and including the date of such meeting, copies of said ordinance will be made available to members of the general public who shall request the same from the Township by e-mailing: BOH@Readingtontwp-nj.org.

PLEASE BE ADVISED that the purpose of this Ordinance is to allow for an update to Part III of the Code of Readington Township, Board of Health. In addition to grammatical revisions and non-substantive nomenclature improvements to this portion of the Code, the Board of Health has passed on first reading, during its November 18, 2020 Regular Meeting, the following amendments, revisions, and supplements to Part III of the Code of Readington Township pursuant to the applicable law. While said amendments, changes, and revisions are sufficiently described herein, a complete copy may be obtained by following the procedures set forth above.

ORDINANCE NO. BH.01-2020

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING, OR REPEALING AND REPLACING, CERTAIN SECTIONS, AS SET FORTH BELOW, OF PART III "BOARD OF HEALTH" OF THE CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF READINGTON, COUNTY OF HUNTERDON, STATE OF NEW JERSEY.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Health of the Township of Readington, Hunterdon County, as follows:

Part III, Board of Health

Chapter 247

§247-1. Revised from "Number to be appointed" to "Adoption of Code."

- **§247-2.** Revised from "Appointment by Township Committee" to "Code Supersedes Prior Ordinances."
- §247-3. Revised from "Term; vacancy" to "When Effective."
- **§247-4.** Revised from "Conflict of interest" to "Copy of Code on File."
- §247-5. Revised from "Removal from office" to "Amendments to Code."
- **§247-6.** Revised from "Voting" to "Publication; Filing."
- **§247-7.** Amended to include section requiring that the Secretary of the Board of Health of the Township of Readington maintain a certified up-to-date copy the Code book (Part III).
- **§247-8.** Amended to include section rendering it unlawful to alter or tamper with any part or portion of the Code. Anyone violating this section of the ordinance shall be subject, upon conviction, to a fine of not less than \$5.00 nor more than \$500.00.
- **§247-9.** Amended to include section providing for severability of this ordinance and its provisions, as each section of this Ordinance and chapter of the Code is an independent section, provision or chapter, and the holding of any section or part thereof to be unconstitutional, void, or ineffective for any cause shall not be deemed to affect the validity or constitutionality of any other section or parts thereof.
- **§247-10.** Amended to include section providing for repeal of ordinance, as all ordinances of a general and permanent nature adopted by the Board of Health of the Township of Readington and in force on the date of adoption of this Ordinance are hereby repealed, except as provided therein.
- §247-11. Amended to include section saving any ordinance not in conflict from repeal.
- **§247-12.** Amended to include section imposing a general penalty, as provided in §247-12.1 (Maximum Penalty), §247-12.2 (Separate Violations, and §247-12.3 (Collection of Fees and Penalties).

Chapter 248

§248-1.1. [Amended to include the following section]: **Entrance on premises to seize for confinement or impoundment; exceptions.**

Any officer, official or agent authorized or otherwise empowered to perform any duty under this article is hereby authorized to go upon any premises to seize for impounding any animal determined pursuant to this article to be dangerous to humans which he or she may lawfully seize and confine or impound when such officer is in immediate pursuit of such animal, except upon the premises of the owner(s) of the animal if said owner is present and forbids the same.

§248-5. [Amended to include underlined language and remove stricken language]: **Rabid and dangerous** animals declared to be nuisances.

Any rabid or dangerous animals is are hereby declared to be a nuisance.

§248-6. [Repealed] <u>Reserved</u>.

§248-13. [Repealed] <u>Reserved</u>.

[Amended to include the following section]:

<u>Article III</u>

<u>Pet Shops, Kennels, Shelters, Pounds</u>

§ 248-15. License Required.

Any person who keeps or operates or proposes to establish a kennel, a shelter, a pet shop or a pound shall apply to the Board of Health for a license entitling him or her to keep or operate such establishment.

§ 248-15.1. Application.

The application shall accurately describe, in sufficient detail, the premises where the establishment is located or is proposed to be located, the purpose for which it is to be maintained, population and type of all animals housed or intended to be housed, and shall be accompanied by the written approval of the zoning officer and the construction officer of the Township of Readington showing compliance with all applicable local and State rules and regulations governing the location, establishment, building, and sanitation of such operation.

§ 248-15.2. Continuing Obligation.

The obligation of the applicant to provide complete and accurate information in the application for said license is deemed an ongoing and continuing obligation, so as to require the applicant to promptly update the application no later than thirty (30) days after discovering any inaccuracy or change to the information set forth in said application.

§ 248-16. Term of License.

All licenses issued for a kennel, pet shop, shelter or pound shall state the purpose for which the establishment is maintained and all such licenses shall expire annually on June 30 and be subject to revocation by the Township on recommendation of the state Department of Health or the Township Board of Health for failure to comply with the rules and regulation of the state department or local board governing the same after the owner has been afforded a hearing by either the state or local board.

§ 248-17. Fees

The annual license fee for a kennel or pet shop providing accommodations for 10 or less dogs shall be \$10; and for more than 10 dogs, \$25. No fee shall be charged for a shelter or pound.

§ 248-18. Transferability

Any person holding such license shall not be required to secure individual licenses for dogs owned by such licensee and kept at such establishment. Such license shall not be transferable to another owner or different premises.

§ 248-19. Compliance with P.L. 2015, c.07

All pet shops and pet dealers shall comply with the provisions of P.L. 2015, c.07, as may be supplemented and amended, which, among other things, require pet shops and pet dealers to provide specific information to persons purchasing cats and dogs.

§ 248-20. Reporting Requirements

As required by P.L. 2015, C.07, all pet shops shall be required to submit annually, no later than May 1 of each year, a report to the Township providing the following information:

- a. <u>The name</u>, full street address, email address, if available and United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) license number of:
 - 1. Any breeder from which the pet shop purchased an animal, whether or not the pet shop offered the animal for sale;
 - 2. Any breeder that bred an animal that the pet shop purchased from a broker, whether or not the pet shop offered the animal for sale;
 - 3. Any broker from which the pet shop purchased an animal, whether or not the pet shop offered the animal for sale.
- b. If a breeder whose identity the pet shop is required to report pursuant to paragraph al or a2 above is required to be licensed in the state in which the breeder is located, the breeder's state license number;
- c. Paragraph a3 above is different from any breeder whose identity the pet shop is required to report pursuant to paragraph a1 or a2 above, and the broker is required to be licensed in the state in which the broker is licensed, the broker's state license number; and
- d. The total number of animals for each breeder and broker for which the pet shop has reporting requirements pursuant to paragraphs a1, a2 and a3 above.

§ 248-21. Violations; Penalties

Any person who violates any of the provisions of P.L. 2015, c. 7, or who violates or who fails or otherwise refuses to comply with the provisions of this chapter, shall be subject to the penalties prescribed by §247-12, except to the extent that the person is liable and subject to the penalties set forth in N.J.S.A. 56:8-95.3. The person must provide the court with proof of license having been issued to prevent reoccurring liability, as set forth in §247-12.2.

§254-4. Procedural requirements.

G. [Amended to include underlined language and remove stricken language]: All sums not actually expended shall be refunded to the applicant within 90 days after the Board of Health has taken action on decided the application and written request is made by the applicant to the Secretary of the Board of Health or other agent designated by the Board of Health for return of all remaining escrows.

§265-5. [Amended to include underlined language and remove stricken language]: **Enumeration**; **Defined**; **Prohibited**

Any thing, condition or act which is or may become injurious or hazardous to public health is hereby declared to be and is defined as a nuisance. The following specific things, conditions and acts are, each and all of them, also hereby declared to be and are defined as nuisances:

Any matter, thing, condition or act, which after investigation by the health officer, his or her designee, or other appropriate enforcing official(s) is deemed to be injurious, detrimental, disturbing or a menace to the public health, welfare or environment, or is deemed to be an annoyance or interference with the comfort or well-being of the inhabitants of the Township, is hereby declared to be a nuisance and shall include, but not limited to the following:

N. [Amended to include underlined language and remove stricken language]: Animals. The keeping of any animal or animals under unsanitary in such a manner as to cause a safety hazard, annoyance, or unsanitary conditions, or present a source of foulness, odor or breeding of insects, rodents or other vermin; or the housing of agricultural animals or animals kept for sale, including but not limited to, horses, cattle, swine, sheep or fowl in any building used as a habitation for human beings or within 50 feet from the nearest outside wall thereof.

[Amended to include the following section]: § 265-17A. Unfit Buildings; Demolition and Repair.

§ 265-17A.1. Adoption of Standards.

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 26:3-69.2, the New Jersey State Housing Code, New Jersey State Uniform Construction Code, and provisions of N.J.S.A. 40:48-2.3 through 40:48-2.12 are hereby adopted by reference.

§ 265-17A.2. Findings.

It is hereby found and declared that there are, or may be in the future, the existence, occupation, tenancy, residency, habitation or other use of buildings, walls, improvements on property, or structures which are so old, dilapidated, unkept, dangerous, unsanitary, a menace to the health, morals, safety and general welfare, a serious nuisance or tend to extend a conflagration, and have become so out of repair to such an extent that said structures are unfit for use, business, habitation, or occupancy, and are inimical to the general welfare and dangerous and injurious to the health

and safety of the people of the Township, and that a public necessity exists for the vacation, removal, destruction, or demolition of such buildings, walls, improvements, and structures.

Nothing in this chapter shall be construed so as to impair or limit in any way the power of the Township or Board of Health to define, declare, abate, or cause the removal of any nuisances, by summary proceedings or otherwise, nor is anything in this chapter intended to limit the authority of the enforcing agency or Construction Code Official under the "State Uniform Construction Code," or any rules or regulations adopted thereunder.

§ 265-17A.3. Designation of Enforcement Officer(s); Officials to Investigate.

The Construction Code Official of the Township of Readington or any other officer or official in charge of any department of the Township of Readington relating to the health, fire, building regulations, or permissible activities concerning buildings and structures within the Township are hereby authorized to inspect, investigate, and issue any violations/penalties with regard to this chapter.

§ 265-17A.4. Investigation of Unfit or Dangerous Conditions by Designated Officers.

Whenever a complaint by a person shall be made in writing to any designated officer or official in charge of any department of the Township of Readington or to the Township Committee with regard to any dangerous or unsafe building, walls, improvement on property, or structure, or whenever such official or the Township Committee shall learn of such condition(s), any official or officer shall inspect the premises and make a report thereof to the Township Committee promptly thereafter, with a copy to the Board of Health.

Thereafter, the Township Committee shall, by resolution with supporting reasons, direct the Construction Official and the Township Attorney to undertake the removal and demolition of the dangerous buildings, walls, improvements, or structures in accordance with this chapter.

§ 265-17A.5. Inspections; Grant of Access.

The Construction Official or other officer designated hereunder is hereby authorized and directed to make inspections to determine the condition of dwellings, dwelling units, rooming units and premises located within the Township of Readington in order that he or she may perform his or her duty of safeguarding the health and safety of the occupants of dwellings and of the general public. For the purpose of making such inspections, designated officials of the Township of Readington are hereby authorized to enter, examine and survey at all reasonable times all dwellings, dwelling units, rooming units and premises. The owner or occupant of every dwelling, dwelling unit and rooming unit, or the person in charge thereof, shall give the inspecting official of the Township of Readington free access to such dwelling, dwelling unit or rooming unit and its premises at all reasonable times for the purpose of such inspection, examination and survey. Every occupant of a dwelling or dwelling unit shall give the owner thereof, or his agent or employee, access to any part of such dwelling or dwelling unit or its premises at all reasonable times for the purpose of making such repairs or alterations, or investigating dangerous or unfit conditions warranting demolition, as are necessary to effect compliance with the provisions of this chapter.

§ 265-17A.6. Complaints and Hearings.

If the investigating official discovers or finds reasonable basis for the charge that the building, wall, improvement, or structure inspected is unfit for use, occupancy, business or habitation, said officer shall issue and cause to be served upon the owner of and all parties in interest to same, a complaint stating the charges in that respect and containing a notice that a hearing will be held before the Township Committee, at a place and time therein fixed, not less than seven (7) days nor more than thirty (30) days after service of the complaint, that the owners and parties in interest shall be given the right to file an answer to the complaint with the Township clerk prior to the hearing date and to appear in person or otherwise at the hearing to proffer testimony at the time and place fixed in the complaint. All owners and parties in interest are entitled to retain legal counsel and professional representation in connection with all proceedings contemplated by this chapter.

The rules of evidence prevailing in the courts of law shall not be controlling before the Township Committee.

§ 265-17A.7. Referral to Board of Health.

In the event of inability to act, the Township Committee may, by resolution and upon adequate notice to all owners and parties in interest, designate the Board of Health to conduct and complete the proceedings contemplated by this chapter, and act in its place and stead.

§ 265-17A.8. Service of Complaint.

The written complaint setting forth the charges and providing for the time and place of hearing shall be mailed to the owners and all parties in interest, or their respective agent(s), by certified mail (return receipt requested), and if refused, by ordinary mail or delivered personally to such individuals or agents. Municipal officials and officers may rely upon the records of the Tax Assessor concerning ownership of any premises in the Township.

§ 265-17A.9. Determinations and Order.

After such hearing, if the Township Committee determines that the building, wall, improvement on property, or structure is unfit for habitation, use, business, or occupancy, the Township Committee shall state in writing its findings of fact in support of such determination, and shall issue and cause to be served upon the owners thereof and any parties in interest, in accordance with §265-17A.8, such writing and order the removal, destruction, or demolition of said building, wall, improvement on property or structure. Upon issuance of such an order, the charging officer shall promptly cause to be posted on the main entrance and elsewhere, as deemed appropriate and prudent, a placard stating as follows: "THIS BUILDING IS UNFIT FOR HUMAN HABITATION OR OCCUPANCY OR USE: THE USE OR OCCUPATION OF THIS STRUCTURE IS PROHIBITED AND UNLAWFUL."

§ 265-17A.10. Contest to Findings and Order.

Any person aggrieved by the order issued under §265-17A.9 may, within thirty (30) days after service and notice of such order, bring an action for injunctive relief in the Superior Court of New

Jersey to enjoin the enforcement of the order and restrain the Township from effectuating same. The remedy provided herein shall be exclusive and no Township official, officer, or representative shall be liable for any claimed or actual damages, costs, or expenses for action taken pursuant to this chapter.

§ 265-17A.11. Owners' Failure to Remove; Township to Act.

If the owners or appropriate agent(s) fails to take down and remove or demolish such dangerous building, wall, improvement, or structure within the time prescribed by such order, the Township Committee shall proceed to take down and remove or demolish the same by use of municipal forces or by private contractor.

§ 265-17A.12. Cost of Removal to be Recovered.

When any such removal, destruction, or demolition shall be undertaken at municipal expense, the Construction Official shall keep an accurate account of the cost and expense thereof, and, upon completion of said removal or destruction, a true statement of the total cost thereof shall be filed by the Construction Official with the Tax Assessor whereupon the same shall become a lien upon the real property in question, as provided by law, with a copy delivered to the owners and parties in interest in the manner prescribed by §265-17A.8.

In addition, the Township Committee may authorize the Township to proceed in an action against the owners of the subject premises for collection of such costs as may actually have been spent in the removal or demolition of the dangerous condition, together with all costs incurred due to administration and legal fees, costs of filing legal papers, expert witness fees, search fees, and recording and advertising charges.

§ 265-17A.13. Challenge to Lien Amount.

Any owner or party in interest may, no later than thirty (30) days from the filing of the lien certificate, proceed in a summary action in the Superior Court of New Jersey to contest the reasonableness of the amount or accuracy of the costs set forth in the municipal lien certificate.

§ 265-17A.14. Removal of Materials or Placard Prohibited.

It shall be unlawful for any person to remove or cause to be removed any equipment, supplies, fencing, or materials placed on the subject property by the Township or the placard referred to in §265-17A.9.

§ 265-17A.15. Violations.

Any owner, lessee, or other party in interest in possession, who fails to comply with any order or notice to vacate or who fails to repair, alter, improve, take down, or demolish the unfit building, wall, improvement, or structure in accordance with any notice or order as provided in this section shall also be guilty of a violation hereof, pursuant to the provisions set forth in §247-12.

§265-22. Temporary food concessions.

C.

2. [Amended to include underlined language and remove stricken language]: There shall be an application fee of \$75 \$100 per temporary license.

§268-3. Inspections.

D. [Amended to remove stricken language]: Inspection and testing of the mercury switch floats operating the effluent pump, as well as the high-effluent alarm, to ensure that they are functioning properly.

§268-8. Applicability.

[Amended to include underlined language and remove stricken language]: The provisions of this article and the obligations set forth within it shall be made applicable to all properties within the Township of Readington, be they regardless of whether said parcel is new or existing, for which the Board of Health has approved a pump septic disposal system.

§268-9. Deed restriction; inspection; malfunction; violations and penalties.

d. [Amended to remove stricken language]: Inspection and testing of the mercury switch floats operating the effluent pump and the high-effluent alarm to ensure that they are functioning properly;

§ 268-12.1. Adoption of code by reference.

[Amended to include underlined language]: A code constituting the uniform standards of the New Jersey State Department of Environmental Protection in force throughout the state governing individual subsurface sewage disposal systems, entitled "Standards for Individual Subsurface Sewage Disposal Systems," effective January 1, 1990, last amended April 2, 2012, is, subject to certain deletions hereinafter set forth, hereby adopted pursuant to P.L. 1950, c. 188 (N.J.S.A. 26:3-69.1 et seq.). A copy of said code is annexed hereto and made a part hereof without inclusion of the text thereof herein.

§ 268-13. Title.

[Amended to include underlined language]: Said code established and adopted by this article is described and commonly known as the "New Jersey State Department of Environmental Protection Standards for Individual Subsurface Sewage Disposal Systems," effective January 1, 1990, last amended April 2, 2012, as N.J.A.C. 7:9A-1.1 et seq.

§ 268-14. Copies of state regulations on file.

[Amended to include underlined language]: Three copies of said New Jersey State Department of Environmental Protection Standards for Individual Subsurface Sewage Disposal Systems, effective January 1, 1990, last amended April 2, 2012, have been placed on file in the office of the

Secretary, Clerk or other similar officer of this Board of Health upon introduction of this article and will remain on file in said office for the use and examination of the public.

§ 268-16. Amendments.

B.

(1)

- (a) [Amended to include underlined language]: No person shall locate, construct, alter or repair any individual subsurface sewage disposal system until a permit for the location, construction, alteration or repair of said sewage disposal system has been issued by the administrative authority as defined in N.J.A.C. 7:9A-2.1 as approved under the following circumstances:
 - 1. An application for a permit to construct an individual subsurface sewage disposal system shall be considered and acted upon by the Board of Health at meetings of the Board when such application involves: soil suitability testing for the treatment and disposal of effluent for new construction or an intensification of use; a variance, waiver, exception or any relief from any provisions of N.J.A.C. 7:9A, Article II, and/or Article III of Chapter 268 of the Township of Readington Ordinances.
 - 2. An application for the approval of preliminary plans to use an individual subsurface sewage disposal system or systems to serve a lot or lots proposed to be created by subdivision approval or proposed to be developed in accordance with site plan approval shall be considered and acted upon by the Board of Health at meetings of the Board.
 - 3. An application for a permit to repair an individual subsurface sewage disposal system by fixing, refurbishing or replacing one or more components in a manner that will restore and preserve the system without changing the original location, design, construction, size, capacity, type or number of the components of the system shall be reviewed and acted upon by an authorized agent of the Board of Health.
 - 4. An application to permit an alteration to an existing individual subsurface disposal system be acted upon by an authorized agent of the Board of Health, provided that the alteration is not required based upon an intensification of use and further provided that the altered disposal system will not require any relief in the way of a variance, waiver, exception or any relief

from any provisions of N.J.A.C. 7:9A, Article II, and/or Article III of Chapter 268 of the Township of Readington Ordinances.

- (5) [Repealed] Reserved.
- (6) [Repealed] <u>Reserved</u>.
- (10) [Amended to include underlined language]:

	Well or Suction	Well Service Line		Property Line
Component	Line	Pressure	Watercours <u>e</u>	(feet)
Building sewer	25 <u>feet</u>	10		
Septic tank, pump pit	100 <u>(4)</u> <u>feet</u>		100 <u>feet</u>	15 feet
Distribution box	100 <u>(4)</u> <u>feet</u>		100(2) <u>feet</u>	15 <u>feet</u>
Disposal field or trench	100 <u>(4)</u> <u>feet</u>		100(2) <u>feet</u>	15 <u>feet</u>

(1) NOTES:

(4) Those items marked with a (4) above can be reduced to 50 feet, provided that proof of 50 feet of well casing can be provided.

(19)

- (a) [Amended to include underlined language and remove stricken language]: When permitted, such pump systems shall be subject to the requirements of the Pump Sewage Disposal Systems regulations, §268-3 Article II of the Readington Code, et seq.
- (20) [Repealed] Reserved.
- (21) [Repealed] Reserved.
- (22) [Amended to include underlined language and remove stricken language]: Section 10.2(e) is amended to read as follows: **10.2(e)**. **Disposal field sizing requirements.**

When soil tests taken in different part of the disposal field yield different results, the system shall be designed based upon the most restrictive conditions found within the area of the disposal field. The minimum required disposal field bottom area for soil replacement gravity or pressure dosing shall be 1.61 square feet per gallon per day for disposal beds or trench systems and 0.65 linear foot per gallon per day for disposal trenches having widths of 1.5 feet; 0.54 linear foot per gallon per day for disposal trenches having widths of 2.0 feet; 0.46 linear foot per gallon per day for disposal trenches having widths of 2.5 feet and 0.40 linear foot per gallon per day for disposal trenches having widths of 3.0 feet respectively.

§268-21. Notice.

[Amended to include underlined language and remove stricken language]: Applicants to the administrative authority for variations from the provisions of this article required separation distances specified under § 268-16(B)(10) provisions of this article, which involve a new or existing subsurface sewage disposal system shall give public notice of the application to the owners of all real property as shown on the current tax map who are affected by the non-conforming condition within 200 feet in all directions of the property which is the subject of the application, at least 10 days prior to the Board of Health meeting date at which the application for a variation shall be heard. Notice shall be given by personal service or certified mail, return receipt requested. The applicant shall file an affidavit of proof of service with the administrative authority prior to the meeting at which action is to be taken on the application.

§268-22. Violations and penalties.

A. [Amended to include underlined language]: Any person or persons, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of or any order promulgated under this article or the Standards for Individual Subsurface Sewage Disposal Systems of the New Jersey State Department of Environmental Protection, effective January 1, 1990, <u>last amended April 2, 2020</u>, as they may be amended from time to time, upon conviction thereof, shall pay a penalty of not more than \$500 nor less than \$5 for each violation.

§268-23. Fees and charges.

- B. [Amended to include underlined language]: For the observation of a test of soil characteristics by a representative of the administrative authority, a minimum advance fee for services of \$300 per lot per day will be charged with a minimum of two days.
- C. [Amended to include underlined language and remove stricken language]: The actual time charges of the representative of the administrative authority will be based on a daily rate of \$300 per lot per day. an hourly rate, including travel time. Proof of hours spent in the field will be submitted to and certified by the representative of the administrative authority, and the certification will be endorsed by the applicant. Upon

submission of this certification, duly endorsed by the applicant, and by authorization of the Township Committee, any unused moneys may be refunded to the applicant upon request.

E. [Amended to include underlined language and remove stricken language]: Tests which are canceled due to adverse weather conditions (conditions which prevent the tests from being performed) or canceled at least one business day prior to the scheduled start of the test will be exempt from any witnessing fee. The daily \$300 fee shall be applied for all other cancellations on the part of the applicant. shall have a minimal charge for two hours imposed.

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§277-1. Revised from "Adoption of code by reference" to "Permits and Inspections."
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§277-2. [Repealed] Reserved.

§277-3. [Repealed] Reserved.

§277-4. [Repealed] Reserved.

§277-5. [Repealed] Reserved.

§277-6. [Repealed] <u>Reserved</u>.

§277-7. [Repealed] Reserved.

§277-8. [Repealed] <u>Reserved</u>.

§277-9. [Repealed] <u>Reserved</u>.